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TAGS: PFOR, KS, UR, UN

SUBJECT: HIGH LEVEL KOREAN-SOVIET CONFERENCE

REF: SEOUL 7586

1. ACCORDING TO KOREAN EMBASSY, AMBASSADOR KIM HAD CHANCE OPPORTUNITY TO TALK TO SOVIET AMBASSADOR DOBRYNIN LAST AUGUST 2 WHEN BOTH, PLUS SEVERAL OTHERS, WERE GUESTS AT A SOCIAL AFFAIR HOSTED BY RICHARDSON. KIM TALKED WITH DOBRYNIN FOR ABOUT A HALF-HOUR, DURING WHICH TIME HE APPARENTLY TTEMPTED TO SOUND OUT SOVIET ATTITUDES ON ROK IN GENERAL, AND SPECIFICALLY WITH REGARD TO KOREAN QUESTION IN THE UN. KIM APPEARS TO HAVE FOUND DOBRYNIN EVASIVE, TAKING LINE THAT ANY CHANGE IN SOVIET ATTITUDE WILL DEPEND UPON PROGRESS IN NORTH-SOUTH TALKS, AND IN ANY EVENT COULD EVOLVE ONLY AFTER CONSIDERABLE TIME.

2. KIM DONG JO CLAIMS HE TOLD KOREAN PRESS ABOUT ABOVE INCIDENT ON AN "OFF THE RECORD" BASIS LAST WEEK. KOREAN
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PRESS, NOTABLY HAPTONG, SEEMS TO HAVE HNORED KIM'S

CONFIDENCE IN THEIR USUAL MANNER. RUSH

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